

Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace paragraph [0019] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0019]

The sending/receiving unit 11 sends or receives data to or from the server 20 over the communication network 30 that is wired or wireless. Data that is sent or received includes (1) data required to access the server 20, (2) web page data sent from the server 20, (3) data on a product or a service ordered through a web page, (4) signature request data sent from the server 20 in response to an order, (5) data required for a signature such as an order ID, name, order date/time, and (6) order acceptance data. The display unit 12 displays web pages sent from the server 20 or data output from the browser. The key entry unit 13 allows the user, through the key buttons (keyboard), to enter or select (order) a product or a service provided on the communication network 30 by the server 20. The voice input unit 14 allows the user to input, via voice, data necessary for a signature such as an order ID, name, order date/time, and so on, required by the server 20. The storage unit 15 stores data that is received and sent.

Please replace paragraph [0021] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0021]

The sending/receiving unit 21 sends or receives data to or from the user terminal 10 over the communication network 30. Data includes (1) web page data, (2) data on an order sent from the user terminal 10, (3) signature request data sent to the user terminal 10 such as an order ID, name, order date/time, and so on, (4) signature data sent from the user terminal 10 that is required for a signature such as an order ID, name, order date/time, and so on, and (5) order acceptance data. The allocating unit 22 allocates an order ID to an order sent from the user terminal 10. The storage unit 23 is used by the server 20 to store (save) received voice data composed of order data, an order ID, and a user signature that are received from the user (customer) and that are related to each other. The output unit 24 outputs data for executing processing when an order has been accepted. The checking unit

25 checks whether a plurality of voiceprints entered by a user as a signature match or whether the character-input contents match the voice-input contents.

Please replace paragraph [0034] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0034]

In response to the voice data of the order date/time from the cellular phone 10, the server 20 saves the voice data for use as a part of the user signature (step A16). This voice data is related to the order data and is saved in step A16. In this step, a check may also be made to see if the voiceprint of the voice data of the order ID matches the voiceprint of the voice data of the date/time. In this case, if the two voiceprints do not match, the order is rejected.

Please replace paragraph [0037] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0037]

FIG. 3 is a diagram showing how order data is related to user signature data when saved. This order data indicates that '012345' is allocated as the order ID and that '100 binders' and '200 boxes of A4-size paper' are ordered from the user (customer) named 'Azuma Tomihiko'.

Please replace paragraph [0041] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0041]

The order date/time is saved as a combination of the character data '32 minutes and 11 seconds past 8 on March 6, 2000', which represents the order date/time, and 'file 3' which is the name of the file in which the voice data pronounced 'thirty-two minutes and eleven ~~seconds~~ seconds past eight on March sixth two-thousand' is stored.

Please replace paragraph [0042] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0042]

If, after the server 20 processes the order, the user (customer) rejects to pay or does not recognize that he or she has placed the order, the server 20 reproduces the voice data in FIG. 3, saved as the user signature, to request the user to confirm the order. If the user still rejects to pay, the server 20 uses a voiceprint analyzer to analyze the voiceprint as necessary. If the result is suspicious, the server 20 asks a specialist to check the voiceprint of the voice data in ~~FIG.~~ FIG. 3 to prove that the user has placed the order and requests the user to pay.

Please replace the first full paragraph on page 19, lines 7-11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

It should be noted that other objects, features and aspects of the present invention will become apparent in the entire disclosure and that modifications may be done without departing from the gist and scope of the present invention as disclosed herein and claimed as appended herewith.